

## Patent Appeal Center Return

<b>Application Number:</b> 10/620,048	<b>Date:</b> 01/12/2010
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The following deficiencies have been identified in the Examiner's Answer mailed 12/23/2009.

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